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The dedicatory exercises of the Rev. Austin Mann Memorial Window, in Trinity Chapel, Columbus, Ohio, took place Monday evening, St. Paul's Day, before a large audience of the deaf with quite a number of hearing persons.

Miss L. M. Greener acted as interpreter.

Following was the order of service.

ORDER OF SERVICE.

Prayer.
Unveiling of the window 'y Mr. C. W. Charles.
Prayer of Dedication by the Bishop-Conductor.
Hymn—'Nearer, my God, to Thee.'
Dedication Address, by Rev. B. R. Allabough.
Dedication Poem, recited in signs by Miss C. G. Lamson.
Acceptance of the Window by the Rector of Trinity Parish.
Address by Mr. C. W. Charles.
Prayer.
Benediction.

DESCRIPTION OF THE WINDOW

The subject is Christ healing a deaf and dumb man, as recorded by St. Mark in the seventh chapter, verses 31-37. In the center of the window is the figure of Jesus touching the tongue of the man; below are the words of St. Mark: "Look up to heaven, he saith unto him, Ephphatha, that is, Be opened." At the bottom of the window is the following inscription: "In loving memory of Austin Ward Mann, for thirty six years missionary to the Deaf. Born December 16th, 1841. Died January 21, 1911."

The window is English Gothic glass, in keeping with the architecture of the chapel, and placed in the position of honor, near the altar on the gospel side. The work was done by the Gorham Company of New York. The cost was \$275, paid for by small contributions of the deaf all over the middle west.

Rev. B. R. Allabough delivered the following address:

DEDICATION ADDRESS.

Fellow-Churchmen and Fellow-Christians:—We have come together to-night to dedicate a memorial window most appropriately placed here in remembrance of one whose character and personality, combined with his scholarly attainments, constituted an important factor in the building up and strengthening and broadening of the intellectual and spiritual life and atmosphere of the work to which he was called. And well does his memory deserve all this love, and all this tribute of affection and gratitude. From his youth, up to the moment when the silver cord was loosed, was he himself a creature of selfishness, lavishing upon all around him the bounties of his affection. He verified in his life, and in his death, that striking beatitude: "Blessed are the meek: for they shall inherit the earth."

Lactantius defined religion as "The tie of love between God and man." So if religion be a tie between God and man, perfect religion is the most perfect tie between God and man. What is there in the perfect religion which shall supply that perfect tie? It is in Jesus Christ, our Lord.

It was not until He came that the final step in the development of religion was attained. Jesus threw the great word "Love" as the supreme relationship between God and man, into human thoughts and human hearts and so changed the course of the world forever.

The old principle was fear, the new one is love. The appeal of Jesus was vastly greater, vastly more powerful than the appeal of all religions of the past whatever they may have been. First came the natural, afterwards the spiritual.

The Son of God came here and exhibited the highest development of religion by uniting the spirit of God with the body of man. It is not only in the words of Jesus that man finds his highest mental religious contentment, but in something else which appeals to a different side. It is his bodily touch with Him as it were.

It is in that mystical Sacrament of Baptism which we are, by the grace of God, permitted to administer, that the bodily, the material side, the physical self of man, has been made one with God. It is through the Holy Communion, that entrance into material relationship of God, which was made through Baptism, continues with increasing development to the end. This is My Body, My Blood!

Baptism and Communion are not merely pretty, pleasing ethical ceremonies—if only that, they were scarcely more than meaningless jumble of words, or blasphemies. They are the ways appointed by God for meeting that persistent craving of the human heart for complete entire relationship with Him in every way, bodily as well as spiritual.

By this personal contact with God, we are enabled to bear our troubles; to master our difficulties; to overcome our temptations. That God knows and cares is the very essence of Jesus' revelation. It is the Christian religion.

heaven otherwise. We must here in this life be so changed, regenerated, by the grace of God, and so practised in religion, as that we may be learning at least to be with God, and practicing beforehand, in our poor way, what is the employment and the blessedness of angels, and the spirits of just men made perfect. It is indeed for this very purpose that God has placed us in His Church; the Church is a nursery, a school, in which God's children are prepared for the life to come. The Holy Spirit is the teacher; it is His office to conform us to the image of Christ; it is our duty, our wisdom, to submit ourselves meekly, humbly, thankfully to His guidance and instruction, even till He have perfected us in the good work He has begun.

This was the great underlying principle of the late Reverend A. W. Mann's life. He was thirty-four years old when he resigned his position as teacher at the State school for the Deaf in Flint, Mich., and devoted the remaining thirty-five years of his life entirely to the service of his Master in spreading His Kingdom among the deaf. During all these years, never free from pain, subsisting on meagre stipends while journeying through all seasons over an enormous territory, this heroic man won the reverent affection and esteem of those who know the facts of his zealous and untiring ministry.

Though physically handicapped, Mr. Mann knew how to go on with his work to spread the Gospel among the deaf. Jesus Christ was the sole inspiration of his life. How comforting it is to think of him as past but ever living, and see that Christ's promises have been fulfilled in life after life. "Come unto Me, all ye that travail and are heavy laden, and I will refresh you."

And in no one has this been more strikingly exhibited, than in our beloved brother. He was enabled by faith, first to overcome the world; and then, by a like faith, to overcome Death and the Grave. Few men have been more in the world than Mr. Mann, while few men have been less of the world. A soldier of Christ from early manhood, a warrior for Christ all his life through; a warrior, too, who never shrank any post, or any duty, a missionary, a priest, a champion.

Mr. Mann was remarkable in every feature of his ministerial life; remarkable, because peculiar. As a traveller, he was unrivaled. While he was gentle unto all men, he was never pliant; while he was wary in the pursuit of the great purpose of Christ's Kingdom upon the earth, nothing hurried him aside from the path of duty. Baffled to-day, he resumed his efforts to-morrow. Disappointed in his spiritual aims, he renewed his heart through prayer, and worked afresh. His whole soul was thrown into the advancement of Christ's Church, because the pillar and ground of the Truth. He was never ashamed of the Gospel of Jesus Christ, and preached it even as the Wisdom of God, and the power of God unto Salvation.

This great missionary travelled over one million miles, not only in this land but in Canada, England, Scotland, Germany, France, Italy and Ireland. He held over six thousand services in four hundred and thirty-eight parishes; administered one thousand and sixty-two baptisms; presented over five hundred candidates for confirmation and one for ordination; solemnized one hundred and fourteen marriages; made six hundred reports to the Bishop of his territory; wrote over seventy-five thousand letters and post cards. While he was very proud of such an array of results, only for his Master's sake, he was never arrogant. He carried with him none of the artificial manners of the world; he took no pains to be a cozier, or a trickster; he spoke with honest fearlessness, yet with discretion, the words of truth; yet everybody loved him, and none was ashamed to be governed by his counsel.

In his preaching as well as in his private teaching, Mr. Mann led us to keep ever before us the pattern of manhood that is set forth in the Gospels, and observe especially his indication that unflinching courage is consistent with most delicate tenderness and most unassuming humility. From us has passed away that life which was the centre from which radiated the brightest rays of enlightenment and inspired and animated us, his holiness, and led us to the highest exertions of all our powers for the attainment of it; promoted all improvement. He taught us ever to remember that our character is all that we can carry with us beyond the grave, and that the pleasure derived from the gratification of bodily appetite is only fleeting, and bodily vigor and beauty will sooner or later decay. He taught that character fashioned according to the pattern shown in the earthly life of the Lord will abide a beauty and a joy forever. Thus have we been greatly benefited by the teaching of the departed, who, by the grace of God, was allowed to minister unto us so long and faithfully. His name will ever be held in loving remembrance by all who have loved to know his sterling worth.

Mr. Mann finished his course only when the weary flesh could stand it no longer. From personal experience, I can say that he accomplished great things; few men, even in perfect health, could have accomplished as much as he did. He has left behind a perpetual memorial of his great work, which spurs his successors and fellow-workers on to greater efforts to keep up the work which our beloved Church has fostered.

Like Saint John, Mr. Mann heard an utterance from Heaven: "I heard a voice from heaven saying unto me, Write, Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord from henceforth: Yea; saith the spirit, that they may rest from their labours; and their works do follow them." It was rest that our beloved friend and heroic warrior craved;—rest from sin, rest from warfare, rest from responsibility, rest from temptation, rest from the solemn work of life; and God gave him the boon when He dismissed him from his unceasing work. The merciful Lord granted him his wish by calling him suddenly without any pain, while he was in the harness.

This memorial window, beautifully emblazoned with the familiar story of our Lord Jesus Christ saying "EPHPHATHA," is appropriately dedicated to one whose life was devoted to the spiritual uplift of the deaf; and placed as it is in this Chapel it likewise may serve as a token of our appreciation and esteem—the visible record of ideals and aspirations that have found imperishable expression in the sign language, of which Mr. Mann was a past master.

In behalf of those who present this attractive and significant gift to this Parish as a worthy memorial of a worthy man—the one who ministered unto the deaf within its walls for many years—and speaking likewise for all who have in mind the distinguished services rendered to the Church by the departed, I now ask the Rev. E. F. Chauncey, in his capacity as Rector, to accept this monumental glass as a visible token of loving remembrance of the REVEREND AUSTIN WARD MANN, MASTER OF ARTS, MISSIONARY TO THE DEAF FOR THIRTY-SIX YEARS.

"Let not sorrow befall matured release
With mournful dirge or wailing tear,
But with holy joy, with alleluia loud,
Commend his spirit to perpetual peace."

January 30, 1915.—In accepting the memorial window by the Rector of Trinity Church, Rev. E. F. Chauncey spoke as follows:—

As a representative of Trinity Church, of its vestry and its members, I accept most gladly this, your gift to us. We receive, very joyously, this memorial window which commemorates the life and work of Austin Ward Mann, who did the duties which confronted him in the spirit of his Master.

Essentially the history of Christianity is the history of humble men—of men who did the needful tasks under the drive of their Christ-visions, and did them with no thought of gain, other than the gain which would come to humanity when the kingdom of God was brought nearer to earth. Those humble and heroic men, those men endowed with energy to work, with scorn of pain, with ability to sacrifice all for the sake of the cause, are the real makers of Christian history, the men of Christian influence.

Of such humble and heroic proportions was your missionary whom we are honoring to-day. We hold his memory dear because he has given us a noble example to follow. We hold his memory dear because he has bound All Saints' Mission and Trinity Church together. That union has blessed us and we hope you will continue to worship here, and always feel that in so doing, you will add to our pleasure and to our profit.

We pray that in years to come to each of us may be given the vision and the spirit of high self-sacrifice which was characteristic of Austin Ward Mann.

Miss Lamson rendering of the poem, especially written for the occasion, was most beautiful rendered in the sign language.

Dedication Poem.

By Rev. George L. Foster
A friend of Mr. Mann

"And their works do follow them."—Rev. 14:13.
The noiseless tread of Time's relentless feet
Marks well the grim perspective of the past,
Defines the fleeting shadow's dim retreat,
O'er spreading wide the illimitable vast.

It were not well the lengthening years to view
Shorn of Remembrance, void of past regret,
The tracing of God's Providence to rue,
And lights withdraw as suns forever set.

It were not well to mould life's present course,
Dissociate from the visions of the past,
Nor fail in inspiration from the force
Of Holy Piety's eternal cast.

It were not well: so now, in earthly place
We contemplate the lives of those we love,
And who, long since, have run their earthly race
And rise in God's sweet paradise above.

Let memory then its erring course describe
In contemplation of the Saints of God,
And rest from out the throng of Glorified
On one who followed where his Master trod.

He did not die: for Life comes forth from Death,
As sweetest perfume through corruption flows;
So his pure spirit leaves a holy breath
To guide us on toward the daylight's close.

Let tenderest Recollection view once more
His faithful ministry, his love benign,
The patient Faith, the heavy Cross he bore,
The steadfast looking to the goal Divine.

Mark well his foot-prints: How he climbed the hill,
Though steep and dangerous was its rugged way,
Nor stayed his painful pilgrimage until
There burst upon his view Eternal day.

Oh, Thou, the True, the Incarnate Son of God,
By whom all strength, all grace Divine is given,
Help us e'en now, to follow where he trod,
And at the last to reach Thy Rest in Heaven.

Rev. Dr. John Chamberlain, of New York, had been invited to grace with his presence the occasion, but found it impossible to comply. He sent, however, the following letter:

MY DEAR BISHOP:—It would gratify me very much, if I could be present in the chapel of Trinity Church, Columbus, at the dedication of a window as a memorial of the late Rev. Austin W. Mann, but as I cannot be there, I venture to ask you to convey to those who attend upon that occasion a brief message from me in tribute to the memory of our dear friend. My long friendship with him was marred by periods of estrangement and early assumed warmly affectionate character and is one of my cherished memories.

The measure of that affection I will not attempt to express in words. He knows, and those who were nearest and dearest to him in this life know, and I know. Let that suffice in the matter of personal attachment. Let me rather speak of his life as it touched so vitally upon the lives of large numbers of those to whom he proclaimed the message of God. I always think with wonder upon the courage, patience, persistence and efficiency of his religious work, and yet, in spite of a physical infirmity that occasioned almost constant discomfort and frequent acute suffering. Regardless of weather and distances he met with remarkable frequency and accuracy a round of appointments extending over a long period of years and a very wide yet arduous territory. By wise counsel, ready sympathy and persuasive teaching, he won many hearts to the faith and service of his divine Master.

Several younger men at his suggestion and with his aid and encouragement pursued the necessary duties and were admitted to the sacred ministry, one of whom has succeeded to his field of labor and is building upon the foundations which he laid so substantially. He took diligent care that the hearing children of deaf parents should be placed in Church Sunday Schools where they might receive such religious training as would be better, in the service of Infant Baptism. In short, in all ways and by all means he endeavored to make his ministry serve for the dissemination of truly Christian doctrine and the nurture of godly living.

Many are the visible fruits of his labors and his religious work is a better, yet apparent. It is truly gratifying that those to whom he ministered, have set up this visible memorial of him as a token of their appreciation of his work and his many virtues. But let us not be content with this inanimate monument. Let us, in the strength of that Holy Spirit who vivified him, endeavor also to erect a better, a living memorial of him, by cultivating in our own lives those virtues that so adorned his character.

I devoutly join with you all in thanking God for the example set before us in the life of Austin W. Mann in commending him to the hands of our Father, the Creator and most merciful Saviour, and in prayer for grace to follow him as he followed Christ.

"May he rest in peace and light perpetual shine upon him."
If you deem these simple thoughts worthy the occasion, please present them with affectionate regards to all present.

Mr. C. W. Charles lay reader of the Mission, made this address:

FELLOW CHURCHMEN AND CHRISTIANS:—This is a happy occasion for All Saints' Mission. For four years it has labored in raising the means to purchase this beautiful Memorial Window to the Silent Hero of the Cross, and this evening it has been unveiled, revealing in subdued and blending colors the beauty of the spirit of a phase of our Lord Jesus' work on earth—the Ministry to the deaf.

The Episcopal Church in America and England, has been a pioneer in carrying out the suggestion of our Lord of ministering to the deaf. And truly it has opened the way for the deaf to enter into the kingdom of God, where their ears shall be unstopped and their tongues untied.

This ministry to the deaf began in 1850, when the Rev. Dr. Thomas Gallaudet, son of Thomas Hopkins Gallaudet, founder of deaf-mute education in America, observing the forlorn religious condition of the deaf after leaving school, began religious work among them. On account of its prayer-book services, he chose the Episcopal Church as the best organ of ministering to them, and the Church Mission to the Deaf has been fostered and has grown until there are now thirteen ordained ministers (twelve deaf) laboring in it. The sign language, appealing clearly to the eye, ample and sufficient for conveying every thought of man, has been the vehicle of communication. By common consent other churches largely grant this special work to the Episcopal Church, although a few have local appropriations of their own.

It is quite appropriate that this only memorial to Mr. Mann should be located in Columbus, for Columbus is nearly the center of the large field in which he labored; and then it is here where the summons to enter upon his eternal reward came. Thus, the window represents the place where the gates of heaven opened and welcomed Mr. Mann.

And it is appropriate that it should be in Trinity Church, for it was in Trinity that Mr. Mann held his first service for the deaf in 1877. Ever since Trinity has been the principal church home of the deaf of our city. Worshipping here every Sunday, the memorial will be a reminder of our first general missionary and his pioneer work and be an inspiration to us to live high Christian lives.

In this memorial many other missions than our own have honorable part by having contributed toward its purchase. Some are missions which Mr. Mann served regularly—those of Cleveland, Cincinnati, Dayton, Toledo, Portsmouth, Canton, Bellair, Springfield, Mansfield, Piqua, Marion, Akron, Ohio; Detroit, Flint, Lansing, Grand Rapids, Jackson, Kalamazoo, Mich.; Indianapolis, Richmond, Muncie, Ind.; Pittsburg, Pa.; Wheeling, W. Va.; Chicago, Ill.; Louisville, Ky. Others are those he served only occasionally,—those at Baltimore, Md., Washington, D. C.;

Philadelphia, Pa.; New York City, and St. Louis.

We are deeply grateful to one and all of these missions, as well as to other friends, for their interest and aid, and we invite them to enter with us into the joy of this occasion.

A collection was taken up, and realized \$16.25. The total amount raised for the memorial to date is \$267.76, which lacks a few dollars of the total cost.

Mrs. A. W. Mann was present at the services, having come down several days previous, and was the guest of Superintendent and Mrs. J. W. Jones of the school. Mr. J. W. Carroll also came from Cleveland, and attended the exercises, remaining a couple of days in the city. Tuesday morning he addressed the pupils at the chapel services, referring to the advantages and conveniences they possessed over those in the school in 1866, when he became a pupil. In those times, the rooms of the buildings were heated by stoves and the boys had to saw wood—there was no coal then—carry it to the rooms and make fires of mornings.

Edward Hetzel entertained Clionian Society Saturday evening with a reading of "The Man of the Hour." He has been visiting in the city during the week, being a guest of the Zorns. He has a brother and sister at school here.

Examinations were the order the last three days of the week, and the teachers of the upper grades have their hands full reading and marking the papers. The second term of the year begins February 1st.

The school had the pleasure of a visit from Rev. C. L. Zorbaugh, having stopped over here, Thursday evening to Friday, on his way to Cleveland from Pittsburg. Yesterday morning, he made an address to the pupils on the importance of reading if they wished to secure a good command of language, and gave examples of his parents, both of whom entered school at advanced age and secured their good English by much reading of books and periodicals, while he was getting good results by the same method learning Italian.

The Ladies' Aid Society held its first meeting for 1915 last week. The treasurer in her report for the year, showed total recently at \$84.65 and expenditures \$31. The Visiting Committee to the Home through Mrs. Schwartz reported several needs, and they were ordered purchased. Reports were also made by the Corresponding Secretary, Miss Long, and Mrs. Schory from the Sick Visiting Committee. A letter of thanks was read from Mrs. A. B. Greener for flowers sent her by the society during her illness. The retiring officers then each made short addresses, thanking the members for their hearty co-operation in their work. The new president, Mrs. Walter Wark, upon assuming the chair appointed as Purchasing Committees Mrs. Callison and Miss Dillon for March, September and December; Misses Bruening and Uhl for May, November and January; Mrs. Black and Miss Schwertman are the Committee to visit the sick members.

The annual reception to the retiring and incoming officers will be held on Saturday evening, February 6th, in the Assembly Room of Trinity Parish House.

Mr. C. B. Hoffman was in the city, Sunday and Monday, on his way to Washington, C. H., from his home.

Cake ice-cream and candy made up a treat to the pupils on the occasion of Superintendent Jones' birthday last Monday.

Tuesday evening the Advance Society met. Mr. Zell, the new president wielded the gavel and dispatched business with alertness. Messrs. Edward Hetzel and E. R. Carroll were visitors, and were given an insight how the society does business. Mr. Carroll made a short address, congratulating the members upon their good work for the Home and wishing them success. Then Treasurer Burcham reported the Home Fund of the Society had \$314.51 to its credit and the fund for the Society \$88.36, or a total for both \$402.87. George Philabum was admitted as a member. The president appointed Messrs. Lohrer Black and Shade, purchasing committee. It was decided to continue a program committee, and Messrs. Showalter and Elsey are to prepare a program for each meeting during the year.

A St. Valentine Social will be given in the Girls' Recreation Hall of the school, February 13th, for the benefit of the Home, and committees were appointed for the various booths.

The First Basket-Ball team went over to St. Paris yesterday evening, in charge of Mr. Ohlemacher, and played the team there, but lost 27 to 30, mainly through the carelessness of one of the players.

The second team played the St. Mary's boys, in the gymnasium here. The game was close and spirited, ending in favor of O. S. S. D. 33 to 24.

Miss Bessie M. Edgar has received a card from Mille Pitrois, to the effect that she has received the money order for fifty dollars sent some time ago, and had no difficulty in having the order cashed, at Bordeaux. Mille Pitrois felt very thankful for the donation, and will later send particulars. Her mother became very ill, doing ambulance work for the Red Cross, and was so sick, Mille Pitrois could not write sooner. This was the first relief money to reach her, it seems. Miss Edgar sent on her fifty-six dollars, additional, making a total of one hundred and six dollars from Ohio.

A. B. G.

Concerning Los Angeles.

I have just read in the JOURNAL "Jack Daw's" attempt to give a true picture of life and conditions in Los Angeles. Now I know very well who this man is. Daw is not his real name, it is the *nom de plume* which he hides behind in his futile attempt to show that our great land of sunshine and promise is not all that she is claimed to be.

Jack Daw is a new man here, having come from the East a few months ago. During this time he has frequently been seen at our clubs and socials. This, at least, might have enabled him to state correctly the facts concerning a few deaf persons he mentions. For instance, he says that our venerable and well-known Norman V. Lewis is from Michigan. The idea! I think that most readers of the JOURNAL know, without me telling them, that Mr. Lewis came here from Canada about thirty years ago. It will not take much arguing, either, to convince this hasty, misinformed writer, that Howard L. Terry is from the "Show Me" State (Missouri).

Referring to some very recent "immigrants" to California, Jack Daw says, "It will seem that the newcomers bring with them 'push and hustle,' which means much for the material and spiritual welfare of the deaf of California." Will he kindly show just how we have been or will be thus materially and spiritually benefited? Our established, self-supporting, tax-paying deaf citizens could not accept Jack Daw's statement at all. For recent painful experience with some of these new "push and hustle" folks has convinced us that our own style of "push and hustle" suffices amply for us.

Evidently it astonished Jack Daw that we could afford to give a Gallaudet Day entertainment free of admission charges. For he says of this part of it that it was a novel and unusual feature, which should not go unmentioned. The fact that admission was free, is of itself a sufficient demonstration of prosperity and happiness here. But Jack Daw never meant to say so. He goes on, and pessimistically assumes "that the greater part of the California people live on the crumbs that fall from the tables of the wealthy tourists and residents."

Poor Jack Daw! By this he has classed himself with the rank of blind unfortunate, whose presence is always a burden on the taxpayers of any country. If he really believes what he says, why does he stay here? His pride, if he has any, ought to suffer. For no person with a morsel of self-respect would wish to remain in a land so dismal and so financially hopeless as he pictures California.

We are positive also that Jack Daw did not come to California with the "velvet gown" class.

No jealous Eastern newspaper would attempt a more misleading account of our famous climate, than this writer gives. "Chilly" is the word that properly describes our worst rainy days. With snow in plain sight on the distant mountains, and the ground under our feet, rain

soaked, it is but natural that a buoyant crispness should abound in our night air, and during some of our cloudy days.

California is pre-eminently an out-of-door country. Sick people come here and get well by LIVING OUT IN THE OPEN DAY AND NIGHT ALL THROUGH THE YEAR.

It is, however, lamentable that a certain per cent of puny folks come here "in rags," and do not, can not, or will not work; but instead, prefer to loiter leisurely about in close, steam-heated hotel lobbies or in other equally unhygienic public places. This is an exceedingly bad habit; by it their tender bodies become least able to resist the chilliness—involving chillingness—in the out of doors. So it becomes an easy habit with them to refer to this part of California as "bitter cold."

I have lived in California five years. I can say with all authority, with all convincing proof, that poor people, and people of moderate means, have no business whatever with steam-heated rooms. Any other way of over-heating is just as bad. This artifice with its attendant coughs and colds is a luxury that only the wealthy can pay for.

Right along through Jack Daw's "bitter cold" days our roses, carnations and a hundred other flowers, out in the open fields blossom joyously, and fruits and vegetables flourish. Neither do we house our tenderer plants—except in rare instances where we wish to protect them from the too heavy rains or the too ambitious, boisterous winds. If Jack Daw will come down to the beach and try a dip in the surf on one of his "bitter cold" days, he will be astonished to find how good and warm the winter ocean water feels!

Any timid creature can stand and gaze—and shiver too if he wants to—at the lonely uninviting sea, on a dismal, foggy day; but if he will for a moment forget fear and jump right into the murmuring gray waters,—Ah! therein he will find joy, life and health.

Now every city in the world has its great army of unemployed. It is not possible that Los Angeles should be an exception to the rule. As long as civilization has existed the problem has always been. It takes no sociologist either to tell us that a great percentage of these idle men and women are people who WILL NOT work. Their contentions, or the excuses which they offer for not being usefully employed, furnish the basis for almost daily discussions in the newspapers and periodicals, so I need not comment further on the question.

Remember I refer strictly to that class who WILL NOT work. It makes absolutely no difference where they lived. They always exist somewhere. Nevertheless they make of themselves a burden on the honest workers and the tax-payers. Thousands and thousands of penniless men have immigrated to California who, by virtue of their common sense, business principles and their sterling qualities of character, have, in the course of time become prominent, financially independent, citizens. It all depends on the man. Despite the universal hard times, despite the war in Europe, there are yet opportunities in California waiting for the right men and women. For myself, I am at present busy making the most of the great educational opportunities which this land so abundantly offers. But if necessary I could earn my living at one of the manual trades, which I have long since mastered, and which I have tried here in California with great success.

A final word—this for those folks unprincipled enough to come here, expecting "to pick gold off the trees," or something else equally impossible—I say to them, if you are not suited, or if you do not find the particular employment you sought, or if you refuse to do any other kind of work, then, unless you have money to live on, for Heaven's sake, I implore you to go back whence you came. If you have not the returning fare, better ask some of those rich relatives you are fond of bragging about to send it to you. I again implore you not to remain and thereby make yourself a burden on the public purse.

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THE fund for the deaf sufferers from the great war in Europe has reached considerably more than five hundred dollars—over two thousand seven hundred francs.

It is time for some action to be taken concerning its distribution, and we hope that the committee authorized to proceed in the matter will soon get together and reach some conclusive agreement. The Editor of the DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL, into whose custody and care the fund was placed, will be glad to have suggestions from any of those who contributed, so that the committee can consider the different points of view.

The fund was raised in response to an appeal from Mademoiselle Yvonne Pitrois, of Bordeaux, in behalf of deaf refugees of the war. Miss Edgar, of Columbus, who sent to Miss Pitrois (nearly, if not quite three months ago), the sum of \$50, which she collected in Ohio, has just forwarded \$56 more, which completes the Ohio fund, and which she had been withholding pending an acknowledgment from Miss Pitrois that the first remittance had been received.

From Paris, a letter has been received from Mr. Henry Gaillard, editor of the *Revue des Sourds-Muets*, suggesting that the fund can better serve the object for which it is subscribed, by spreading it out in four far-removed districts—for instance, equal portions to be sent to Mr. Robert Dresse, of Liege, Belgium; Mr. George Paquier, at Roubaix, for the north of France; Mr. Emil Mercier, at Eprenay, for Meuse, Ardennes and Marne districts; Miss Pitrois, at Bordeaux. By this measure the money can be more systematically handled and afford more widespread relief. All of the aforesaid are individuals of ample means, public spirit and unimpeachable character.

It is further advised by Mr. Gaillard that the money should not be sent until peace is declared, for the reason that the local organizations in every community are giving organized relief to every man, woman and child, and that the real pinch of want, the acme of distress and suffering, will occur when the relief organizations are discontinued and all will be obliged to rely upon their own resources. At present relief is offered by the communities and nation, as a necessary incidental expense of the war. But when the deaf must begin to rebuild their homes, to find occupations for earning money to procure the necessities of life, help will be most urgent and monetary relief most welcome.

The editor of the DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL feels the responsibility incumbent upon him by being the designated custodian of this relief

fund, and wishes to have an expression of opinion before sending it abroad. Furthermore, it does not seem to him that collections and subscriptions should continue indefinitely. Therefore, as soon as a sufficient consensus of opinion has been obtained, he will call a meeting of the committee and announce its conclusions.

"HELP!"

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BULLETIN No. 9.

In response to Miss Yvonne Pitrois' cry for help for the war-stricken Belgian Deaf, who are in need of food and clothing, the following has been contributed and sent to the undersigned:—

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FEBRUARY.

7—Trinity Church, Newark, N. J., 3 P.M.
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In Memoriam.

In the death of Mr. Henry M. Fairman, of Worcester, Mass., the members of the Maine Mission lose one of the best and most popular deaf-mute members. As a worker for the Mission, he held great interest in the welfare and stately progress of the organization. Perhaps what interested him most was the sign-delivery and rendition of the Lord's Prayer, Doxology and hymns. He was always anxious to have these rendered in the most beautiful and touching way. In character he was loved by his many friends for his warm, sunny disposition, giving cheer and encouragement to the down-hearted. It is certain that his memory will not be forgotten at the next and many other conventions to come. To Mrs. Fairman the members of the Mission, and many other deaf friends, extend their sympathy and pray that the deceased may have reached that glorious and everlasting reward.

HOWARD W. MAYBERRY, Secretary.

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GALLAUDET COLLEGE.

"Our sorrows of irreligion are due to ourselves," was the theme of a sermon delivered in Chapel Hall, Sunday afternoon, January 24, by Rev. A. D. Bryant, '80. Rev. Bryant treated his subject in an intelligent and exhaustive manner, drawing numerous illustrations from actual life, and referring frequently to the mighty combat now raging on the other side of the Atlantic for examples of the sufferings brought about by irreligion, or a disregard of the greater principles of Christianity. He asserted again and again that Christianity has not failed, but that we have failed in our duties to Christ. He declared that a real, lasting, world peace will be impossible till the true brotherhood of man is at hand.

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Stegmerten, 16: "Oh, I have a pain in my bread box, and am trying to scare it away."

Witnessing as it did the representation of "G's" for foot-ball, the evening of January 29th was a red letter night on the calendars of our husky knights of the gridiron. The letters were presented by President Hall, who made appropriate speeches to each of the eligibles before giving out the "G's." At the conclusion of the ceremony he spoke briefly to the members of the Class of '15 lending expression to the regret which he and the undergraduates feel at their coming departure from the realm of athletics at Gallaudet, and voicing the hope that in their struggles in the outer world they will be true to the spirit of fair play taught them at Kendall Green, and ever be an honor to the "Old Coll."

NEW YORK.

News items for this column, should be sent direct to the DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL, Station M, New York.

A few words of information in a letter or on a postal card is sufficient. We will do the rest.

Reinforcing his reputation for hospitality, Mr. Horace R. Moorhead entertained some thirty-odd "oral deaf" and hearing friends at a party in his home, which is situated on one of the most altitudinous of Bronxville's (N. Y.) hills.

When the bidden guests had arrived they were escorted into the dining room, where an elaborate supper was served consisting of the following menu:

Bouillon	Potato chips
Creamed oysters	Sliced ham
Sandwiches	Salad
Ice cream and cake	
Demi-tasse	
Chocolates	Nuts

Games were next in order. The first was a geographical game, and cards were distributed among the competitors bearing pictures representing cities in the various states. Mrs. W. D. Smith and Dr. Nies carried off first honors in this event.

Slips of paper were handed out for the next game, containing names of animals. On entering the adjoining room the guests beheld a long table arranged with vegetables and fruits. It gave one the impression of a county fair. The object of the game was to construct the animals named on slips of paper.

Miss Jacobs, with a cleverly constructed porcupine, and Mr. W. P. Pfeiffer, with a rattlesnake, won the prizes in this contest.

Sheets of colored tissue paper were used in the next game, which was that the ladies might call a "millinery contest." The styles of the hats constructed ranged from the latest war models to the fetching bonnets of colonial times. Miss Dorothy Sanders and Mr. Ellis Lit, both of Philadelphia, bore off the laurels for the most original creations.

The Victrola was then started, and dancing or "tete-a-tete-ing" rounded out the evening's pleasure. The great fireplaces with their compelling fascination proved a strong rival of the Victrola, for every one of the three hearths had its circle of story-tellers.

One of the gentlemen related an amusing incident that occurred at the station. When the party got off the train they were assailed by a mob of hackmen, who were so persistent and so wild in their gesticulations, that the men thought they would "put something over" on them. They allowed the ladies to ride, but chose to walk themselves. Great was their chagrin upon arriving at the house, for they found that Mr. Moorhead had engaged those very hackmen to bring the whole party up!

Those present at the party, in addition to the family, were: Dr. and Mrs. Nies, Mr. and Mrs. Beadell, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Pfeiffer, Mr. and Mrs. Ormond Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Radcliffe, Mrs. W. D. Smith, Misses Hayward, Jacobs, Eileen M. Sewall, Leontine Hagadorn, Coralie Hagadorn, Mabel Johns, Annabelle Kent, Dorothy Sanders, Messrs. James O. FitzGerald, W. P. Pfeiffer, John Macey, Bert Forse, Kenneth Muir, William Renner, Ellis Lit, and Fabischer.

KEITH MORRIS' PARTY.

From nearly every direction of Greater New York, there swooped down upon a great Colonial house in Flushing, quite half a hundred draf friends of Mr. Keith Morris on Sunday afternoon last, in response to invitations previously sent out. It is the present home of Mr. Morris, having been leased from a relative of his, jointly with his sister.

Upon entering the grounds the guests were awe-struck with the massiveness of the building and its imposing colonnaded front; the immense columns looking for all the world like Roman sentinels on guard. It was really a commodious structure situated upon a slight elevation far removed from the roadway, and surrounded by three acres of ground; being erected in the year 1740, and is in quite a state of preservation. Aside from the modern bathroom outfit and gas piping, everything that entered into its construction was the same as when first erected. Its great number of rooms, stairways, closets, and ever so many crannies, together with its large corridor, suggested an arrangement not unlike that of the interior of the Jumel Mansion on Washington Heights. The owner of the property, Mrs. Prince, is a lineal descendant of Governor Bradford of Colonial times, and it was under the roof of the big house that the hospitality was dispensed with a lavish hand to the great statesmen during the Revolution, and in later years to such men of national importance as Abraham Lincoln and Henry Clay.

After divesting themselves of their wraps, the guests were at once made to feel at home, and they

were soon finding themselves roaming over practically the whole of the ancient structure, inspecting the furniture, objects of art, and curios gathered from different parts of the world.

At half past six the guests were invited to the dining-room, where they sat down to a most elaborate menu. Mr. Morris was an affable host, and together with his charming sister Hilda and the housekeeper, Miss Kelly, who by the way is a pleasant-faced old lady, quite alert for her years, saw that every one had his or her quota of the day's enjoyment.

After supper, fascinated with the atmosphere of the house, which impelled a feeling of being transported back to the Colonial period, old fashioned games were indulged in, followed by dancing, and winding up the evening with the Virginia Reel, the dance so suggestive of the times when the Colonial dames and beaux were wont to prance over the polished floor of the once stately old mansion.

Mr. Matthew Carswell, the affianced of Miss Hilda Morris was present and seemed greatly delighted with all he saw. He is connected with a banking house on Wall Street.

Among the others present were:—Dr. and Mrs. Nies; Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Pfeiffer; Mr. and Mrs. Radcliffe; Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Elsworth; Mr. and Mrs. P. Kempf; Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Stern; Mr. and Mrs. Osmond Loew; Mrs. J. H. McClusky; Mrs. W. D. Smith, of Hackensack, N. J.; Miss Leontine Hagadorn; Miss Mabel Johns, of Bronxville; Miss Hayward; Miss Alice Judge; Miss Annabel Kent; Miss Lillie Lindhoff; the Misses Margaret and Eleanor Sherman; Miss Essie Spanton; Miss Dorothy Sanders, of Philadelphia; Mr. Horace R. Moorehead, of Bronxville; Mr. J. O. Fitzgerald; Mr. Kenneth Muir, of Nyack; Mr. Forse, of Poughkeepsie; Mr. Ernst; Mr. Macey; Mr. W. Rau; Mr. W. Renner; Mr. C. Schatzkin; Mr. Harry Gillen; Mr. Frank Nimmo; Miss K. Jackson; Mr. W. Garrison; Mr. H. A. Jackson; Mr. Pierre Ditto.

Division No. 23, N. F. S. D., are primed for posing in the spot-light for the longnettes of their numerous friends and well-wishers at Imperial Hall, Saturday evening, February 6th. Rated as one of the handsomest and best appointed auditoriums devoted to Terpsichore, "The Imperial" stands out in electric light with telling significance to its patrons. While the ball proper starts with the Grand Entree, led by President Harry J. Powell and lady at 10 P.M., the jolly coming of the merry maskers will begin two hours earlier. This as a means to give the judicial connoisseurs of what's what in costumes—original, unique and grotesque—an opportunity to make their decisions. Take it from an old timer, Josephine, the prizes are unlike anything ever offered before. To level-headed Chairman J. Elliot Taplin, you, who capture one of the many, will be indebted for the quality and usefulness of the article you take home. The more maskers the merrier, and the happier for the winners. The maskers may assemble as early as eight, though the committee would not advise an earlier arrival.

A delegation of Philly Frats are listed to be on hand, with others from up-State and down East, and a solid phalanx of Newark Brothers led by Johnny Black. All the principals have decided to come, and other notables from local organizations will join in helping the merry commingling. A deaf-mute masquerade is really a Mardi-Gras on a small scale. The aptitude of the silent maskers to imitate the character represented adds to the jollity of the occasion, and the attempts to disguise their finger talk become infectious for laughter, with their friends trying to discover their identity. The result is an amusing sight, in which participants as well as spectators are interested.

Van Baar's orchestra will discourse dance music, assuring the proper caper for the dancing devotees. Accommodations for the non-dancing element are spacious and comfortable in the balconies surrounding the hall. Harry Bryan will be on hand to keep the tripping continuous, with Frank A. Brown assisting, aided by Johnny Shea, Morris Plapinger, Louis Frey, Billy Long, Hy. Liebsohn, Frank Eeka, and a hundred and more of No. 23's galaxy gallant of Fraters. A novelty, likely to be staged, will be the electric display of Brother Wizard Shaw, who has offered to install an exhibition of lighting effects that Wizard Edison himself approves as commendable for one of his employees. The Imperial grill and banquet hall have the services of up-to-date chefs, with prices right for parties desiring supper. Take Brooklyn Subway cars to Borough Hall Station, then walk down Fulton Street a couple of blocks to Red Hook Lane.

Several of the deaf attended the performance of "The High Cost of Loving," at one of New York's swell theatres about three weeks ago, the star part of which is played by Lew Fields. In fact it is an all-star

cast, with such celebrities as Alice Fischer, George Hassell, James Lackaye, Wilfred Clarke, Grace Meinken (Mrs. Wilfred Clarke), and others. The chief attraction for the deaf who attended was Miss Grace Meinken. She is a pronounced beauty of the brunette type, a splendid actress, developed through natural talent since childhood, and a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Meinken, well-known deaf-mutes of this city. "The High Cost of Loving" is on a tour that will include most of the large cities of the United States. It is a very amusing comedy, easily understood by the deaf, and they should embrace the opportunity of seeing it. Miss Meinken is an adept in the use of the finger alphabet and the sign language. She has been in vogue for several years, but this is her first appearance in legitimate drama.

At the Clark Deaf-Mutes' Whist, to be held on Saturday evening, March 13th, in the Park and Tilford Building, 310 Lenox Avenue, near 126th Street, the committee have decided to award a loving cup to the society scoring the greatest number of points in whist, that is, each society is to choose ten players whose names are to be furnished before the game begins. After the game is over, their tallies are to be added together and thus to be decided which society receives the cup. No extra charge for this, simply thirty-five cents each for admission.

The meeting of German-American Society of the Deaf, was held in Brooklyn on Saturday evening, January 23d. The election for officers resulted as follows: President J. Landau; Vice President, A. Ginzler; Secretary, R. Grutzmacher; Treasurer, A. Kadighan; Sergeant-at-Arms, J. Berger. The society will probably engage a Hall, for the purpose of a Ball, in January, 1916.

On January 30th, 1915, Rev. John Chamberlain, D.D., journeyed, in spite of the storm to Brooklyn, and baptized the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Westlake (nee "Dotsey" Franklin). Mrs. Westlake's brother and Mrs. Schlipp were sponsors for the infant, and the name chosen is Eleanor Eliza Westlake.

PHILADELPHIA.

News items for this column should be sent to James S. Reider, 1838 North Dover Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

A singular fact in the presentation of the comedy of the Taming of the Shrew, at All Souls' Parish House, on Saturday evening, January 23d, was that the character of the Shrew was impersonated by a genuine daughter of sunny Italy, Mrs. Victoria Simone, and she played her part with great credit, too. Those who played the other important roles also acquitted themselves creditably. Following is the

CAST OF CHARACTERS.

Baptista Minola, a rich gentleman of Padua	..... C. Orvis Dantzer
Katharina, the Shrew	..... Daughters to Baptista
.....	..... Mrs. Victoria Simone
.....	..... Miss Jeanette King
Vincenzo, an old gentleman of Pisa	.....
A servant	..... Arthur Fowler
Lucentio, his son (in love with Bianca)	..... J. M. Purvis
Gremio, Suitor to Bianca	..... G. H. Porter, Jr.
Biondello	..... Servants to Lucentio
.....	..... A. Wolf
Grumio	..... H. Coulston
Curtio	..... Servants to Petruchio
.....	..... W. Waterhouse
.....	..... T. Mondon
Widow	..... Miss Edna Purvis
Cook and Haberdasher	..... B. Wisner
A servant	..... Levi Cooper
Petruchio, a gentleman from Verona	.....
.....	..... Wm. H. Lipsett
Tailor and servants attending Baptista and Petruchio	.....

SYNOPSIS OF SCENES.

Act I, Scene 1 and 2.—Padua. A Public Place.
Act II, Scene 1 and 2.—A room in Baptista's House.
Act III, Scene 1 and 2.—Petruchio's Country House.
Act IV, Scene 1.—A Public Road.
Act V, Scene 1 and 2.—In Baptista's House.

A good sized crowd saw the performance, and was both enthused and amused by the good playing, the appearance of the characters and the scenes and scenery. The footlights of the new stage were used to good advantage and they gave the scenery a pleasing effect. Mr. William H. Lipsett managed the play and deserves most credit for its success. The entertainment was given for the benefit of the Men's Club, which will divide the proceeds with the Church. The committee that looked after the business arrangements consisted of Messrs Thomas E. Jones, Chairman; Fred Buch, Harry G. Gunkel, Charles S. Yoder and David Wilson.

A son was born to Mrs. Ruth V. Booz, the daughter of Mrs. Viola King, on Sunday morning, January 17th.

Friends planned a "Package Surprise" for Miss Gertrude M. Downey, in honor of her birthday, on January 29th, at her sister's home, in Lititz, Pa.

Mr. Arthur Fowler gave the inmates of the Home for Aged and Infirm Deaf a talk, on Sunday, January 17th. In the afternoon, he visited Mr. and Mrs. Seneca F. Large, where were also Mr. Henry Friemel, Miss Rose Friemel, and Mr. Isaac Allen.

Mr. George T. Sanders was expected to return home on Sunday evening, the 24th. Mrs. Sanders remains with friends in Washington, D. C., for a little while longer.

Next Saturday, January 30th, All Souls' Basket Ball team will play with a hearing team from a nearby Church. Admission will be only ten cents.

Rev. C. O. Dantzer held a service at the Home, in Doylestown, on Sunday morning, and preached in Trenton, N. J., in the afternoon. A Lay-Reader conducted the service at All Souls' in the Pastor's absence.

Miss Eliza Loughridge is visiting friends around here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Paul will again live with their married son, Mr. Chandler Paul, at Ryer's, Pa., near the City Line. They will move out from All Souls' Church on Saturday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Sharrar, after living for about a year near All Souls' Church, will remove to Ryers, also. They used to live in Olney for a number of years.

Miss Fannie Stuckert, of Doylestown, was in the city over Sunday.

Mr. Andrew Leitch had a narrow escape from being asphyxiated by leaking gas from a defective pipe-joint in the bath-room of his boarding-house recently. After a time, he managed to reach safety and took treatment. There was a wound on the back of his head, but he knew not how he got it, having been insensible for a while.

Mrs. Payne, of England, is still stopping with the Partington family, at Ridley Park, and appears to be well contented. She is not decided yet, when she will return to her far off-home.

A Confirmation Class is forming at All Souls' Church now. Join it, if you are not yet a member of the Church.

The quarterly meeting of All Souls' Guild was held on Tuesday evening, 19th of January.

Events to come:—
February 9.—Men's Club Banquet.
February 12.—Frats' Third Annual Ball.

The Clerc Literary Association held its usual weekly meeting on January 21st.

Mr. Charles Switzgabel, a graduate of the Mt. Airy School, died of pneumonia in Easton, on Christmas Day.

Some more of our deaf have been thrown out of employment in the past week or two.

In spite of the sleet and icy pavements there was about the usual attendance at All Souls' last Sunday.

The distressing news from Lancaster, Pa., of the sudden death of Mrs. Harry F. Sommers, nee Laura Brumbaugh, on Sunday, January 24th, shocks many of her young schoolmates in this community. The birth of a little daughter preceded the death of Mrs. Sommers, but the baby lived only a few hours. The remains of both were buried near Altoona, Pa. Mr. Sommers has the heartfelt sympathy of his friends on his double bereavement.

Mr. Israel Steer, now of Norfolk, Va., is in town on a visit, and he will remain until after the Frat Ball, for which he especially came.

The basket-ball team of Galludet College is scheduled to play another game with the Pennsylvania Military College team, in Chester, Pa., on Friday, February 19th.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Buch tendered a birthday party to Mr. Buch's oldest daughter, Blanche (by his first wife), last Saturday night, January 30th, at their residence, in Tioga. She was the recipient of many pretty and useful presents. The evening was very pleasantly spent. Later in the evening the guests repaired to the dining room, where they partook of a delicious collation. Those present besides the host and hostess were: Rev. Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Dantzer, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Lipsett, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lipsett and their little daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Pennell, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gunkel, Mr. and Mrs. David Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. James Richards, Mesdames Emma Rival, Gertrude Fritscher, William Fries and Salter, Misses Ethel Mock, Ruth Lipsett and Vendotte, Messrs. Laib Hamburg, John A. Roach, Alexander S. McGhee, Arthur Fowler and Henry Friemel.

Remember the third Annual Ball of Philadelphia Division No. 30, N. F. S. D., on Friday evening, February 12th (Lincoln Day), at the North Broad Street Drawing-rooms, 715 N. Broad Street, only a few doors above Fairmount Avenue (Empire Theatre). The ticket of admission is only one dollar for a gentleman and two ladies, and it includes light refreshments, which will be served throughout the night. Tickets can be obtained from any of the members or the committee. Those living out of town can procure one by remitting to John A. Roach, Chairman, 3737 N. Franklin Street, Philadelphia.

The music will be rendered by Prof. McGhee's Orchestra, brother of our own Alexander. Because of its reputation and the holiday (Lincoln Day) the service of this orchestra has been much sought for. We can indeed congratulate ourselves for having secured this efficient orchestra ahead of others for our ball.

The Souvenir Ball Program, as well as the dance card, is expected to be one of the neatest pieces of the printer's craft ever turned out, and they will be worth keeping as souvenirs.

Reports have reached the chairman that New York, New Jersey and Delaware, besides Pennsylvania, will be well represented at the Ball.

Are you coming? If not? Why not? Do not forget the date, February 12.

The All Souls' Basket Ball Club opened its season last Saturday night at its home and clashed with the Trinity B. C. of Nicetown, with the result of a defeat for the former, by the score of 23 to 27.

The All Souls' started off like a whirlwind in the effort to snatch its first victory of the season. The visitors gave the locals a close struggle in the first half, which ended with the All Souls' in the lead by two points, 11 to 9. Field goals were about even in the first half with four goals each, but the second half showed quite a difference in the showing of the opposing teams. In the early part of the second half the locals had possession of the ball most of the time, with the good score of 21 to 16 in the lead, but when four minutes to go, the visitors started to whirl and played harder. They piled up fast to the tune of 27, when the whistle blew. The game was ended with Henry Friemel, Carl Kutzer and Samuel Dunlap each scoring two field goals, and ten free throws, by H. Friemel.

The next game will be with the Evening Ledger B. C. and we will promise to give another interesting game. (Reported.)

Cards have been received announcing the marriage of Evelyn Manning Unanet, of Allentown, Pa., to Mr. Howard Elliott Arnold, of this city, on Saturday afternoon, January 30th, at Allentown. The couple will be at home at 6603 Ross Street, Germantown, Philadelphia.

Mr. Joseph W. Acheson, of Pittsburgh, gave us a surprise call on Wednesday evening of last week. He arrived in New York from Cuba, where he had been visiting a brother several weeks, spent a day in the Metropolis and then came on to Philadelphia on his way home. He stopped here for three days to renew "old acquaintances," returning home on Saturday. Mr. Acheson was a former student of the old Broad and Pine Streets School. By occupation, he is a bookbinder, and, although in the sixties, he still appears vigorous and willing to work, contrary to the Osler theory.

Mrs. Elizabeth H. Riggs returned to the city from Elizabeth, N. J., where she had been staying with her folks since the latter part of November.

A boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Menendez, on January 31st.

Mrs. Shaw, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Washington Houston, was taken suddenly sick early on Sunday morning. The last report says that she is resting well.

Mr. R. E. Underwood and Mr. Geo. T. Sanders have both been on the sick list the past week, but, as far as we know, are coming around all right.

Frat meeting on Friday, February 5th.

The Clerc Literary Association held a social meeting on Thursday evening, January 28th.

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Bible Class—Every Sunday 4:15 P.M.

Clerc Literary Association—Every Thursday evening after 7:30 o'clock.

Pastoral Aid Society—Every Thursday afternoon.

Men's Club—Third Tuesday of each month, 8 P.M.

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CALIFORNIA.



With the dawn of the new year 1915, San Diego swung wide open her portals to the California Panama Exposition. Fourteen hundred acres of God's great out-of-doors, epitomizing the history of South Western America in an Exposition City of Spanish-Colonial Architecture.

The San Diego Exposition is more than a show.

It is at once an university.

A superb work of art, and a memorial as long as reinforced concrete can last, of the beauty and glory of the old days. No one can fully understand the soul of California, or know the real California, who has not seen this wonderful Mission Exposition.

The landscape gardening is the greatest charm of the fair.

The Indian Village is an accurate reproduction, never before shown, of the homes of the different tribes of the Southwest Indians. All the houses are inhabited by real Indians working at their native crafts.

This exposition was built to stand, so as a token of its permanence, it has the only copies of the lost treasures of the burned city of Louvain.

No university in the world has so complete a collection of treasures of the forgotten civilization that once flourished in America, as has this exposition.

A visit to "Origin of Man" exhibit is worthy the money and time you spend on it, for it is the most complete thing of the kind in the world. It shows the change in type from the primitive man, who lived 100,000 years ago, down to the present time.

Now for the first time they have been built up as they must have looked, and it has been done by men of world-wide reputation.

Now since Louvain has been burned by the Germans, San Diego has the only record left of some of the pre-historic beings.

There have been world's fairs but never one like this beautiful exposition showing the old Spanish California. If you only looked at the doors, you would feel repaid for coming. Such wonderful old Spanish doors.

This exposition will impress you as being a resurrection from the dead of a glorious era that is done.

This exposition has been given the title "The City with the Soul," and here you will be conscious of a spirit of delicious romance that will never fade.

You will see our two incomparable expositions on which we spent \$700,000,000. You will attend our great N. A. D. convention at San Francisco.

The deaf of San Francisco has pledged to raise \$2,000 to entertain you.

The deaf of Los Angeles are also raising money to give you a good time and you will see Los Angeles, the gateway of both California's two great expositions, with her true California spirit now manifest. You will also see the Pacific Coast which itself is an exposition 2,500 miles long of its wonderful climate and wonderful scenes.

And so many other things.

All the world is coming to California.

Why not you!

The many friends of Th. D'Estrella will be interested to read this article which appeared in the California News.

In the summer of 1905 the Sierra Club made the fifth annual outing on Mt. Rainier, Mt. Hood and Mt. Shasta. One of those members of the Mazama Club of Seattle, who were with the club on Mt. Rainier, was a newspaper man, wrote about Mr. D'Estrella in one of the leading Seattle papers as follows.

Theophilus D'Estrella the silent member of the Sierra mountain climbing club, may well be rated the most popular man in that organization. He is the art instructor in the California deaf, dumb and blind institute, in the winter, but for many years has accompanied the Sierra Club on their summer outings. Although unable to hear instructions issued before climbs, by those in charge, and unable to ask questions during the climbs, he is nevertheless, one of the best men on a mountain in the club. In climbing rocky places where there is danger of falling stones he is most careful and never goes on such places with the crowd, always waiting until they are across.

Another remarkable feature of D'Estrella's work in the mountains is his wonderful power of touch. The slightest jar, unnoticed by other members of the party, is felt by him. During one of the trips over the Nisqually glacier during the recent outing, a rock was dropped down a crevasse, and by a time-watch, the number of seconds it took to strike bottom reckoned. As the rock fell

down the crevasse, it bounded from side to side. The silent member dropped a rock over the same crevasse and as it struck each side D'Estrella raised a finger and when it struck bottom, he knew the exact number of seconds it took the rock to drop.

About the evening campfires on the mountain, he was one of the popular entertainers. His stories of mountain climbs, his illustrations of the days of the week and many other illustrations in pantomime were really wonderful. With gestures he told the story of the Mt. Rainier climb so clearly that not one point was missed by his hearers. Nothing escaped his vision, and although he does not appear to be watchful, he is nevertheless cognizant of every move that is going on about him.

Miss Anita Gompertz, one of the members of the party, is an instructor in the same school with D'Estrella, and their conversations were always a source of amusement to those about camp.

At two watch parties, one held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Abe Himmelschein and other at that of Mr. and Mrs. Cool, the guests congregated to see the old year out, but as the evening was young yet, there was a programme of jolly games that sped the hours of the closing year, and delectable refreshments taken. As the clock struck twelve, ushering in a new year, everyone present exchanged with one another congratulations and good wishes for the newly-born cycle of months.

Saturday evening, the 16th, was held the installment of officers by the Literary auxiliary of club Amapola, Miss Stowe became President; Mr. Herrig, Vice-President; and Miss Ida Miller, Secretary. The present year for both the Club Amapola and Literary auxiliary promises to be one of the pleasantest and most worthy of achievement in the history of the local clubs, and the recently installed new officers are working towards a year that will go down in the annals as one of noteworthy accomplishments.

To Miss Myrtle Murphy again falls the honor of first opening the festivities of the New Year, which seemed replete with happiness and good cheer, when she entertained a number of her friends at her home, but not all came out at one time. The first guests came on Tuesday evening. Progressive five handed five-hundred was the diversion of the evening, after which most delicious refreshments were served. The same program was given at the second party which was held on Friday evening.

Mrs. Arthur Nolen delightfully entertained a number of her lady friends Tuesday afternoon, December 1st, at her home in honor of Mrs. Charles Thompson, of St. Paul, Minn., and Miss Carrie Brown, of Minneapolis. The guests were glad of this opportunity to do the honors and extend to them the hospitality of Los Angeles. A game was played and Mrs. Wornstaff captured first prize, a pretty fern basket, and Mrs. Mills, the booby prize, a kewpie doll. Refreshments of chocolate and cake were then served.

Mr. Ward, who had very delicate operations performed on both his eyes, is now making such progress that he had his bandage removed with the permission of his doctor. He says he can see so much better now and is very happy over it.

It is very important that we should know how many of you are coming, so please do make up your mind about it.

If you want any information write to Mr. Leo A. Maldonado, 2821 Launa Street, San Francisco, Cal.

If you have decided that you are coming, write to him too.

He will most cheerfully tell you anything you want to know. No trouble.

Mr. Williams wants to know, as near exact as possible, how much money is needed to be raised for the 1915 entertainment fund, so there will not be any waste.

It is just like a party, the hostess always wants to know how many of her invited guests are coming and asks for an answer in her invitation. She has to know, so she can plan just exactly how much she would have to pay out for refreshments, etc. So it is the same with us.

If you can not make up your minds just now, will you tell us in plenty of time?

Don't, Don't wait till the last minute!

MRS. MAY COOL, Local Publicity Committee, N. A. D., LOS ANGELES.

A Faithful Servant Gone

"Aunt Caroline," for fifty years a laundry woman in the Georgia School for the Deaf, has passed out into the Great Unknown.

Declaring that the school could not possibly run without her, she always came promptly to her post of duty. She will be sadly missed from her old accustomed place where the sunshine and the snows of five decades have found her ready, faithful, honest and true. In her humble way, the old darky furnished an example which it were wise for more of us to follow. Her children and grandchildren have served the school in different capacities for the past thirty years—Georgia School Helper.

FANWOOD.

At the ripe age of eighty-one years, Dr. Louis A. Rodenstein passed away, at his home, 790 Riverside Drive, on Sunday, January 31st. Dr. Rodenstein was Physician and House Superintendent at Fanwood from May 16th, 1865, to April 1st, 1871.

He was one of the founders of the Manhattan General Hospital (now Knickerbocker Hospital), and had been a surgeon in the United States army in the civil war, a member of the Board of Education and a member of the Board of Police Surgeons.

Dr. Rodenstein was graduated from the University of Pennsylvania in 1859 and became an intern in the city hospital on Blackwell Island. After the civil war he engaged in practice in New York City. He was surgeon in chief of the old Manhattan General Hospital in 1855, in the successor to which the Board of Managers recently established a free bed in his honor.

He was a member of the Obstetrical Society, the Academy of Medicine, the Society of Medical Jurisprudence, the Pathological Society and the New York County Medical Society. He had been a trustee and warden of the Protestant Episcopal Chapel of the Intercession for the last forty years.

In 1861, he married Miss Sarah Cooper Tiemann, daughter of Daniel F. Tiemann, who was Mayor of the city from 1858 to 1860, and a grandniece of Peter Cooper. In 1911, they held a large reception to celebrate their golden wedding. Dr. Rodenstein is survived by his wife and a daughter, Miss Addie Rodenstein.

Saturday evening the Fanwood Literary Association was given a dramatic literary entertainment in in chapel hall, by Prof. Bjorlee's Sixth Male Oral. The class presented a very good show that recalled the history making times of 1860-65. The whole playlet illustrated that reign of brotherly hatred, when the South flew at the North and our own beautiful country was threatened with destruction. The program read as follows:—

CIVIL WAR COMPLICATIONS.
Mr. Hawkers G. Boland
Mrs. Hawkers T. Panelli
Ulysses Hawkers H. Carpenter
Robert Hawkers R. Parsons
Zo Hawkers R. Pois
Hiram B. de Castro
Colonel L. Edwards
Guard V. Lind
"Sun Flower" C. Olsen
"Daisy" G. Tingberg

Scene I—A Southern Home.
Scene II—Room of Same.
Scene III—Dining Room.
Scene IV—Union Camp.
Scene V—Home Scene.

A select list of readings and the usual debate between Cadets Carpenter, Parsons, deCastro and Pois, enlivened the first few addresses. Cadet Boland perhaps gave the best and won for himself the most applause.

In the playlet, we see a Southern home all happiness and mirth. The action against Fort Sumpter and declaration of war sends this joy to sorrow. Brothers and friends quarrel and blows are exchanged. In the next act we see once living brothers taking different roads filled with the passion of hatred. On the battlefield we admire the courage and bravery, as opposing brothers fight and again save one another. With peace comes the picture of the downfall of the South the rise and lasting liberty of the Stars and Stripes. Wounded brothers of the South are united with victorious brothers of the North and peace and happiness reigns once more. The bruised and shaken mansion is now as it was four years before. Slavery is abolished and we fade away to moonlight.

The action of the characters calls for praise, and with the comment of Dr. Fox, Prof. Bjorlee and his company were tendered the thanks of the members.

BASKET-BALL

With a chill north wind blowing Saturday afternoon, a good excuse was had for indoor basket-ball. Accordingly the majority of the pupils made tracks "double-time" for the lower of "muscular-paradise," where indoor athletics made good companionship with the former. Arrangements for Saturday scheduled the Vulcan Five, a nearby city quintet, to face the gold and blue of Fanwood. After a little rushing practice, the call for spectators' attention was sounded and a red-hot game ensued. The quick and steady passing of our senior team soon began to weaken their opponents, who played more wildly. Through the excellent scoring of Captain Cammann and the good teamwork we were soon laying layer upon layer and no sign of quits. Though the Vulcan Five made rush upon rush, it was repeatedly ended in our favor.

From center Cammann would hit the ball to Golden, who would throw it to Berman, who in turn passed back to Cammann who caged the spheroid with many a smile. Of course, the hearing boys endeavored at their best to break this trick of quick passing, but just as quick

the skill of our team sprung something new and two new points would go down to our credit amid mighty applause from the cadets and other onlookers. So far, the team representing the Institution has several fine games and a long string of victories to its credit. Ever onward is the spirit. Score and summaries of game:—

FANWOOD	VULCAN
Berman r.f.	Coamey f.
Golden l.f.	Burns f.
Cammann c.	Hemgenberg f.
Rader c.	Watson f.
Siegel r.g.	Blumber f.
Snook l.g.	

Field goals—Golden 1, Rader 1, Siegel 3, Watson 2, Hemgenberg 1, Burns 1. Foul goals—Cammann 3, Coamey 1, Blumber 1. Referee—Mr. Cote. Time-keeper—Mr. Margat. Substitute—Rader for Cammann.

On Friday Miss Marsh, of the Columbus, O. School, spent a day in the Institution visiting the class work of the pupils, in the company of the Principal. She expressed her sincere admiration for the excellent routine and great progress we have steadily made in all branches. Besides inspecting our "Home of Childhood," and the vocal exercises in singing, the cadets gave an exhibition in military tactics.

There is great fun among the older pupils of the advanced classes who have diaries. Their register of daily events contains some very laughable phrases. They find it economical as well to make memoranda of their fees and receipts each week.

FOUND—In the vicinity of 140th Street and 8th Avenue, a gold filled "Fanwood" seal pin, penciled on the reverse side with the initials, "D. W." Owner can have it on application to: Fanwood Correspondent, DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL, Station M, New York City.

Prof. Jones rendered in his eloquent signs the second of the Adventures of Brigadier Gerard, by A. Conan Doyle. This story was entitled, "How the Brigadier captured Saragossa," a tale of Napoleon's conquest of Spain. It was full of the vivid war times that marks a thrilling climax which is what the cadets most of all desire. The girls too enjoyed, the spirit of it and hand the laurels for Prof. Jones.

Sunday afternoon Mr. William Garrison, of the class of 1914, visited his alma mater and enjoyed a short chat with his Fanwood friends.

A goodly crowd went to the movies at the Costello Theatre near the Institution Saturday. The effect some say was more pleasing than basket-ball.

These are mighty strenuous days at Fanwood. Some say they haven't even time to read the paper.

The mantle of white that came Sunday night was hailed with great pomp and pleasure. Everybody had a sound "long winter's sleep," only to awaken with shattered hopes for winter sports. Rain followed snow, and we have dead verdure in place of that much-hoped-for covering of ice and snow. Skates are getting rusty and sleds getting old, so it's time to jolly the weather-man for brighter and whiter prospects. We had better luck Tuesday.

Services were held Sunday by Prof. Jones preaching in the morning. Prof. Bjorlee rendered an afternoon sermon, using the first Psalm of David as the theme for his discourse.

The battalion is in fine trim, and that competition to be held in the twelfth Regiment Armory Saturday, February 6th, between companies A, B, C, will prove a good one. It is generally thought that Company A must carry off the honors. The answer next week.

St. Andrew's Silent Mission.

Trinity Church, Copley Square, Boston, Mass.

Rev. G. H. Hefflon, Messrs. E. W. Frisbee and A. S. Tuff, Lay Readers.

FEBRUARY.

7—Boston, 11 A.M., and Lynn, 8:30 P.M., Mr. Frisbee.

14—Boston, 11 A.M., and Salem, 2:15 P.M., Mr. Frisbee.

Special Lenten Services: 17—Hartford, 8 P.M. (Ash Wednesday.) 18—Waterbury, 8 P.M. 19—New Haven, 8 P.M. Bridgeport, 8 P.M.

Mr. Hefflon and Mr. Frisbee.

21—Boston, 11 A.M., Mr. Tuff; Pittsfield, Mass., at 10:45 A.M., North Adams, at 4 P.M., Mr. Frisbee.

23—Special Lenten Services. Preacher, Rev. John Chamberlain, of New York. February 23, Worcester: February 24, Boston; February 25, Providence; Hour, 8 P.M. for all these services.

25—Boston, 11 A.M., Holy Communion; Providence, 8 P.M., Rev. Mr. Hefflon; Worcester, 8:30 P.M., Mr. Frisbee.

E. W. FRISBEE, Lay-Missionary.

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The deaf conally invited. Minister's address: 2806 Virginia Avenue.

PITTSBURGH

The following account of the Basketball team's recent tour was sent in for the JOURNAL:

The Deaf, of Pittsburgh, can boast that they are well represented in Athletic Circles. Recently their basketball team, commonly known as the Pittsburgh Silent Five, took a trip throughout Western Maryland. They traveled approximately 2183 miles, over mountainous roads. While their trip was not much of a success, they came home with two victories out of six games played. The towns they played at were: Mt. Savage, Md., Lonaconing, Md., twice, Oakland, Md., Potomac, and Meyersdale, Pa. At Lonaconing, Md., and Oakland, the attendance records were broken. Everywhere the deaf boys played, they were well treated. The players taking the trip were: Michael Boyle, Captain; Vincent Dunn, James C. McDowell, Manager; Albert Lenz, Joseph Johovics and Frank Blackhall. At Meyersdale, Albert Lenz suffered from a sprained ankle, but the Silent Five were fortunate to have a good substitute to take his place in James C. McDowell. Captain Boyle was by far the best player on the trip.

The scores of the games were: Pittsburgh 28 Potomac 21 Pittsburgh 24 Mt. Savage 30 Pittsburgh 33 Lonaconing 39 Pittsburgh 46 Oakland 22 Pittsburgh 21 Meyersdale 23 Pittsburgh 22 Lonaconing 38

Lonaconing, Md., is the State champion of Maryland, and they were much surprised at the strong showing of the deaf boys, whom they expected to walk-over. The attendance of the deaf at the games was disappointing, but five deaf persons saw the entire six games.

Mr. and Mrs. Royal Durian have added to their independence by the purchase of a home, No. 2033 Mountford Avenue, North Side. They have moved into their new possessions and put their household goods in order. Friends of the couple—and they are many—will note the new address as given above. It does add immensely to one's feeling of independence to be free from the monthly account of rent bills, so Mr. and Mrs. Durian are to be congratulated.

Along in the seventies, while enrolling as students at Gallaudet, one with apparent pride spelled out very distinctly to the clerk, George Washington Payne Nicholson, and ever since when his image comes up the name in full is pictured to the mind. George Washington Payne Nicholson was remembered on his 70th birthday, January 19th, by his fellow-members of the Reformed Presbyterian Mission. His friends thus planned a surprise for him, and were entirely successful too.

His friends met at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Charlotte Savage, and presented him a bunch of just 70 carnations—one for each summer he has enjoyed in this vale of tears. Enjoyed? Yes, for G. W. P. N. always wore a smiling countenance no matter what the circumstances. Miss Enna Boyd made a neat address, presenting the flowers which brought forth a very touching reply from the recipient. After some time in conversation and games, refreshments were served, the chief of which was a large specimen of the baker's art. It was topped with colored icing and bearing this inscription: "Birthday Greetings—Charlotte, For 'Bub,' John Murray Ruth, Seventy years."

Be it known his grandchildren always called him "Bub," for in spite of his years, he is boyish still. January 23d, Mr. John M. Rolshouse, our local magician and sleight-of-hand man, entertained the pupils at the Edgewood School in a most acceptable manner. He kept his audience on the "qui vive" for an hour and a half. Big and little, old and young, enjoyed it all immensely. Mr. Rolshouse certainly has a fine exhibition ofleger-dmain and he is adding to his repertory constantly, too—more success to him.

St. Margaret's Mission had a social entertainment, January 23d, at the McGehee Building's Hall. Messrs. Farke, Holliday and Col. Sawhill were the arch entertainers. Mrs. Holliday declaimed the "Soldier's Wife," after which a general social time was enjoyed by the numerous attendants. The next will be a "Tag Social," at the same place, on Saturday evening, February 27th. Thereafter all socials of the Mission will be held on the 4th Saturday during the year.

The "Twenty Club" also entertained with a social, at Washington Hall, on the 23d. Comparatively, this was a small gathering, but made up in enthusiasm for lack of numbers. Entertaining and instructive stories were the chief feature.

On Saturday, January 30th, Rev. Mr. Smielau gave a reading of "Quo Vadis," at this place, Washington Hall, for the benefit of the Home. Rev. Smielau was at his best, which, by the way, always seems to be the case with him, and pictured the story in a charming manner. We have read the book and seen it in the "movies," but it was more enjoyable as given in clear and graceful signs.

Rev. Smielau conducted services at Trinity Chapel, Sunday morning, at Greensburg in the afternoon, and again at Trinity in the evening. Rev. Smielau is expected here again in the near future.

The Pittsburgh Branch, P. S. A. D., will have a Valentine Social, at Washington Hall, February 13th. This should draw a large crowd, as all proceeds go for the benefit of the Home, where funds are so badly needed.

It was reported that John Nichols, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Nichols, had met with a serious accident while coasting last Saturday afternoon. In a collision with another large sled, he had the misfortune of breaking his leg above the knee. Coasting accidents are a common occurrence on the Pittsburgh hills.

The young ladies and gentlemen of the upper classes at the School for the Deaf arranged a birthday party for Superintendent Burt on the 27th. Games and contests were indulged in, and a dainty luncheon served. The refreshments were all prepared by the young ladies in the cooking class and it did them much credit too. It proved they were mastering the culinary art in all its branches all right. Dr. Burt, it was observed, does not show by any outward appearance that he is getting any older.

The Edgewood Public School, just over the fence from the School for the Deaf, has established a printing department under the direction of Mr. H. L. Branson, editor of the Western Pennsylvanian. Since Mr. Branson is in charge, the new department will be a success.

G. M. T.

Rev. B. R. Allabough's Appointments

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St. Philip's Mission in the Beaver Valley, Pa. Mr. Collins S. Sawhill, Lay Reader. Services once a month, subject to notice.

All Saints' Mission—Trinity Church, Cor. Third and Broad Streets, Columbus, O. Mr. C. W. Charles, Lay Reader. Services, 10:30 A.M. every Sunday.

St. Mark's Mission, St. Paul's Cathedral, Cor. 7th and Plum Streets, Cincinnati. Mr. C. W. Charles, Lay Reader. Services, 8 P.M., fourth Sunday of the month. Mr. Charles comes when Rev. Mr. Allabough goes to Columbus.

St. Clement's Mission, Dayton, Christ Episcopal Church, Mr. C. W. Charles, Lay Reader. Services once a month, subject to notice.

Calvary Mission, All Saints' Episcopal Church, Portsmouth, O. Mr. Wm. Cooper, Lay Reader. Services, 2:30 P.M., third Sunday of the month.

Ephphatha Mission, St. John's Episcopal Church, Woodward Avenue and High Street, Detroit, Mich. Mr. H. B. Waters, Lay Reader. Services, 7:30 P.M., every Sunday, except when Rev. Mr. Allabough comes by appointment.

Ascension and St. Bede Missions, Kalamazoo and Grand Rapids respectively, Mr. M. M. Taylor, Lay Reader, Services by appointment.

All Saints' Mission, Christ Church Cathedral, Louisville, Ky. Mr. J. H. Mueller, Lay Reader. Services and Bible Class alternately every Sunday at 2:30 P.M.

St. Agnes' Mission, Grace Episcopal Church, Bolivar Road and Prospect Avenue, Cleveland, O. Mr. Wm. F. Durian, Lay Reader. Rev. Mr. Allabough visits this Mission regularly the first Sunday of each month, unless otherwise arranged. (10:45 P.M. Holy Communion and 8 P.M.)

FEBRUARY.

6—Cleveland, 8:00 P.M. (Social).

7—Cleveland, 10:45 A.M. (Holy Communion) and 8:00 P.M.

8—Canton, 7:45 P.M.

11—Portsmouth, O., 7:45 P.M.

12—Lexington, Ky., 7:45 P.M.

13—Louisville, Ky., 8:00 P.M. (Lecture).

14—Louisville, 9:30 A.M. (Holy Communion) and 8:00 P.M.

19—Rochester, Pa., 7:45 P.M.

30—Pittsburgh, 8:00 P.M. (N. F. S. D. Banquet).

21—Pittsburgh, 10:30 A.M. (Holy Communion) and 7:45 P.M.

23—Marion, O., 7:45 P.M.

24—Piqua, 7:30 P.M. (Confirmation).

27—Springfield, O., 7:45 P.M.

28—Columbus, 10:30 A.M. (Holy Communion) and 3:15 P.M.

School for the Deaf, Columbus, 2:30 P.M.

LAY READERS.

7—Johnstown, 2:30 P.M., by Mr. C. S. Sawhill

14—Grand Rapids, Mich., 2:30 P.M., by Mr. M. M. Taylor

21—Piqua, Mich., 2:30 P.M., by Mr. H. B. Waters

Portsmouth, O., 2:30 P.M., by Mr. William Cooper, recently licensed as lay reader.

28—Dayton, O., 10:30 A.M. and Cincinnati, 3:15 P.M., by Mr. C. W. Charles.

Akron, 2:30 P.M., by Mr. W. F. Durian.

Rev. Mr. Allabough takes pleasure in announcing that Mr. C. W. Charles, of Columbus, O., has passed his Canonical examinations for the Diaconate, and arrangements are being made for his ordination.

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Miss Holman, Parish Visitor. Services, every Sunday, 8 P.M.

Mr. Roma Fortune, Lay-Reader.

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The General Missionary visits the above and numerous other stations in the South upon such occasions as are appointed and locally made known. The Missionary will be glad to confer with any one desiring to assist in the work of the Mission.

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